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In re Application of:
Masahito HOASHI, et al.
Serial No.: 09/000,366
Filed: January 28, 1998
For: METHOD FOR THAWING
FROZEN GROUND FISH
MEATS

) Art Unit: 1761
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) Examiner: D. BECKER
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) Confirmation No. 5189
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) Washington D.C.
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action of
August 30, 2002, for which a three-month extension of
time to respond is hereby requested, please enter the
following amendment:

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